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- (a) This section promulgates regulations and provides guidance on the FBI's prepublication review program. It applies to both current and former employees and is meant to regulate individual conduct as well as to set forth organizational policy.
- (b) As a condition of employment, all FBI personnel signed an "Employment Agreement" (SD-291) in which they promised to ever divulge, publish, reveal, or otherwise disclose any information or material from or relating to FBI files or any other information acquired by virtue of their official employment, duties, or status, without the written permission of the Director. Each employee also promised to present the full text of any proposed disclosure in writing for the Director's consideration at least 30 days in advance of the proposed disclosure. BREACH OF THESE OBLIGATIONS IS GEOUNDS FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTION, A CIVIL SUIT AGAINST THE OFFENDER, OR BOTH. IN SOME INSTANCES, UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE MAY ALSO CONSTITUTE CAUSE FOR REVOCATION OF A SECURITY CLEARANCE OR BE A CRIMINAL OFFENSE. For example, Title 5, USC, Section 552a(i)(1) makes it a crime to wrongfully disclose individually identifiable information from a system of records protected by the Privacy Act; and Title 15, USC, Section 1905 makes it a crime for federal employees to wrongfully disclose trade secrets acquired during the course of their employment.
- (c) The FBI prepublication review program is designed to implement the Employment Agreement by establishing a process by which employees and former employees who wish to make disclosures -- WHETHER ORAL, ELECTRONIC, OP WRITTEN -- within the scope of the agreement may request permission to do so. By its nature, the

prepublication review process contemplates a tangible expression of information. Most often this involves a writing but, regardless of the medium through which a disclosure is to be made (written, oral, electronic, etc.), an employee's obligation under the large of the No to disclose ANY information within the scope of the agreement without written permission to do so.

- 1. Thus, outlines of oral presentations, drafts and manuscripts of fictional or nonfictional written works, software and other electronic works, and so forth must be submitted for prepublication review if their subject matter falls within the scope of the Employment Agreement.
- 2. Disclosures made in the performance of official duties are outside the scope of the prepublication review program. Official speeches, writings, and publications are reviewed and authorized by cognizant FBI officials and need not be further reviewed. (See MAOP, Part I, 1-12.)
- disclosures by their very nature cannot be reviewed in advance. This does not mean that an employee or former employee can disregard the terms of the Employment Agreement when making such disclosures; on the contrary the Agreement covers ALL disclosures, not just written ones. It does, however, mean that as a practical matter, compliance with the prepublication review program is impossible in such situations. Thus, while an employee or former employee may be held accountable for making an extemporaneous oral disclosure of information obtained during the course of FBI employment without permission to do so, he or she will not be sanctioned for failing to comply with the prepublication review program.
- (d) Compliance with the prepublication review program does not relieve a current employee from the obligation to comply with the FBI's outside employment rules or the Standards of Ethical Conduct for the Executive Branch. Thus, current employees must ensure that any acceptance of compensation for speaking or writing conforms to these rules and standards.

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 - do with the FBI or its activities, investigations, mission, or which are not otherwise related to any information, documents, or materials acquired by virtue of FBI employment, duties, or status need not be submitted for review. For example, a book of children's stories, an article on stamp collecting, or an outline of a presentation on religion need not be submitted for prepublication review.
 - 3. For further information, see 28 CFR Section 17.144.4
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- (ii) If further review is required, then OPCA will refer the work, in writing, to a prepublication review panel (see below), via the responsible division Assistant Director (AD), and inform the requester in writing that the work has been received and is under review.

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- 4. If a panel objects to disclosure of any portion of a work, OPCA shall notify the requester that the FBT withholds permission to disclose or publish the portions to which the board has objected and request such modifications as may be necessary. If the author submits corrected portions for further review, OPCA will continue to work with the requester and the concerned panel until final clearance is authorized. If a particular matter cannot be resolved, then the requester may appeal to the Director. The decision of the Director is final, except that decisions relating to the deletion of classified information may be appealed to the Decuty Attorney General per 28 OFR Section 17.144(s)(3).

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 - b. Information that is classified or the disclosure of which could otherwise harm national security;

- d. Information that would reveal grand jury material protected from disclosure by Rule 6(e) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure:
- e. Information that would reveal the identity of a confidential source or informant:
- f. Information that relates to any Sensitive operational details or the substantive merits of any ongoing or open investigation, inquest, probe, prosecution, appeal, or case;
- g. Information that consists of the proprietary information of another, including trade secrets;
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- i. Information pertaining to currency transaction reports regulated or protected by Title 31, USC, Section 5319;
- j. Tax return information regulated or protected by Title 26, USC, Section 6100;

- k. Information pertaining to contractor bids or proposals or source-selection information before the award of the procurement contract to which the information relates;
- 1. Information protected from disclosure by any other federal statute or regulation; and
- m. Information exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act (Title 5, USC, Section 552) unless the material is clearly already in the public domain.
- 2. No objection to disclosure or publication by a current or former employee will be interposed solely because a work is critical or disparaging of the FBI, the government, or its officers and employees. If, however, a work by A CURRENT EMPLOYEE contains material the disclosure of which would adversely affect the ability of the FBI to effectively and efficiently fulfill its responsibilities to the public (including speech concerning private grievances or that impairs discipline or harmony among co-workers or exerts a detrimental impact on close working relationships for which personal loyalty and confidence are necessary), then the declarant or author shall be informed that disclosure or publication may result in adverse consequences, including disciplinary action. In other words, the FBI will not object to the disclosure or publication of such material but the declarant or author may be warned that disclosure is not without potential consequences.
- 3. No objection will be interposed solely because of errors (factual, grammatical, or otherwise) in the work.

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- e. Information that would reveal the identity of a confidential source or informant:
- f. Information that relates to any sensitive operational details or the substantive merits of any ongoing or open investigation, inquest, probe, prosecution, appeal, or case;
- g. Information that consists of the proprietary information of another, including trade secrets;
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1. For the following names, please insure that pseudonyms are used to protect the identity of these individuals unless the names listed below are directly pseudonyms. If you have written approval from any of the above individuals to use their real names, please provide 4 copy of the	
authorization. Also, in instances when univ first names are used, please chairs these names are also pseudonyms.	
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Response: I have modified the text to and applied pseudonyms to above names.	
2. On page 90, lines 7-16, please revise the text as follows: "Firearms weren't a joke for me. I didn't come from the macho "gan culture"	
encouraged in the FBL-1 was one of the statistically small number of agents who actually used weapons as tools to accomplish the FBL's real missions. Just the week before Rick's ordensive conemapoprophy. I was carrying a convented submaching gain, to provide security for a fellow agent.	
who was going to meet a potentially hostile individual, as the agent, believed he would likely be instantly murdered should the situation turn bad.	
And yet I was so easily thrown off by Acc's juvenile joke or the range pest's "you shoot like a girl" comment	
Response: The requested reduction Jeals with my carry of firearms in Pakistan, and specific use of the MP5 submachine gun. The FBI lists use of the MP5 on its own website: https://www.fbi.gov/about-useenpabilities/fbi-awat-graphic .	
Alternate less: Just the week prior to Rick's offensive eigenvatography. I had been on the streets of a hostile foreign country with a generated machine run providing security for a fellow agent who was roung to meet a potentially hostile individual.	
3. On page 11%, lines, 13-17, please revise the sext as follows, "I owed at to the hard work and the outstanding relationships Mike had built	
with local law enforcement officers. He filled me in on the details of the planned interviews. The situation required us to be extraordinarily flexible.	
and adapt on the fly to whatever or cumulances we might face."	
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** If you have any questions about any of my FBI cases or any other questions please feel free to contact me ANY time. I appreciate your nelp.
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Chapter Five: Applying to the FBI, training, etc. Pages 34-199. The FBI application process is unclassified and subject to many books, blogs, decumentanes, and other public sites.
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Dear Ms. Prouty:

This letter is in response to the submission of your manuscript received for review on May 2, 2011, pursuant to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Prepublication Review Policy (PRP) and the Prepublication Review Manual (POL05-0001-RMD).

This manuscript was reviewed pursuant to the terms of the PRP and the reviewer noted the following listed matters which require amendment/correction.

1. For the following names, please insure that pseudonyms are used to protect the identity of these individuals unless the names listed below are already pseudonyms. If you have written approval from any of the above individuals to use their real names, please provide a copy of the authorization. Also, in instances when only first names are used, please ensure these names are also pseudonyms.

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For those instances where information must be removed, please submit for review any local openitors language.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact in the prepublication office at 540-363-1697 or via e-mail at Thank you for your participation in the FBI's prepublication review process.

Sincerely,

David M. Hardy Section Chief Record/Information Dissemination Section

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FBI Prepublication Review	
Hardy, David M.	
Sent: Tuesday, July 12, 2011 4:07 PH	
To: Cc: FBLPREPUB	b6 -2
Dear Ms. Prouty,	
This is in response to your most recent e-mail to my assistant.	b6 -1
In response to your assertion that the prepublication review process does not apply to you, I note that you already received your personnel file through a Privacy Act request and, in the security subfile, there is a copy of both a SF 312 and SF 4414 that you signed. The terms of those agreements state that you agree not to make an unauthorized disclosure of classified information and that the FBI may invoke a number of remedies in such an instance. To be clear, the publication of your current manuscript would be considered an unauthorized disclosure of classified information.	
The prepublication process is designed to assist you in meeting the terms of these agreements. We search for common ground so that both author and agency are satisfied. The tone of your manuscript is irrelevant. We try to complete our review as expeditiously as possible, but, in the instance of complex and sensitive topics, we require subject matter expert review. In addition, at any given time we are reviewing a number of manuscripts. I assure you that we have been working diligently to complete your review.	
Your review is almost complete. We will review your suggested edits as soon as possible.	
Sincerely, David M. Hardy GC, RIDS/RMD	٠

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Winchester, V.t 22602-4843.

July 25, 2011

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Re: Nada Prouty Manuscript

Dear Ms. Proug:

This letter is in response to the submission of your manuscript received for review on May 2, 2011, pursuant to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Prepublication Review Policy (PRP) and the Prepublication Review Manual (POL05-0001-RMD).

This letter addresses the questions you raised in your e-mail dated July 11, 2011.

- 1. The use of pseudonyms for the names mentioned in our letter dated June 22, 2011 is approved.
 - 2. Your alternate text for the suggested change on page 96, lines 7-16, is approved.
 - 3. Your alternate text for the suggested change on page 117, lines 13-17 is approved.
- 4. On page 138, lines 4-7, the CIA has no objection to this text. The FBI agrees with the CIA review in this instance and the language is approved.
- 5. On page 139, lines 15-13, the CIA has no objection to this text. The FBI agrees with the CIA review in this instance and the language is approved.
- 6. On page 140, lines 15-17, the CIA has no objection to this text. The FBI agrees with the CIA review in this instance and the language is approved.
- 7. On page 145, lines 1-5, this edit is suggested because your original text details law enforcement sensitive information, not known to the public, that may be used to assist the circumvention of FBI efforts. Please provide a copy of this substitute language to the FBI before proceeding with publication.
- On page 147, lines 18-19, your suggested edit is acceptable. Please provide a copy of this substitute language to the FBI before proceeding with publication.
- 9. On page 148, lines 3-10, your suggested edit is acceptable. Please provide a copy of this substitute language to the FBI before proceeding with publication.
- 10. On pages 159-162 and 164, as this information exists in the public domain, the FBI no longer objects to this information being included in your manuscript.
 - 11. On page 160, lines 2-5, your alternate text for this suggested change is approved.

12.	On pages 160,	163, and 164,	your alternate text for	this suggested ch	iange is approved.

14. On page 190, lines 4-5, you indicate this text was already modified as requested by the CIA.

 On page 162, line 4, as this information exists in the public dom 	ain, the FBI no longer
objects to this information being included in your manuscript.	

Please provide the FB1 with the substitute language used in this instance before proceeding with publication.			
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18. For the listed items numbered 18-22 on your e-mail, the FBI will need to see the CIA approved language in 15-17 above.

- 19. For the listed items numbered 23-25 on your e-mail, as this information exists in the public domain, the FBI no longer objects to this information being included in your manuscript.
 - 20. On page 241, lines 1-5, the use of the suggested text provided by the FBI is approved.

For those instances where information must be removed or changed, as stated above, please submit for review any non-specific substitute language. You do not have the authority to publish until this substitute language has been approved.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact in the prepublication office at 540-868-1697 or via e-mail at participation in the FBI's prepublication review process.

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Sincerely,

David M. Hardy Section Chief Record/Information Dissemination Section

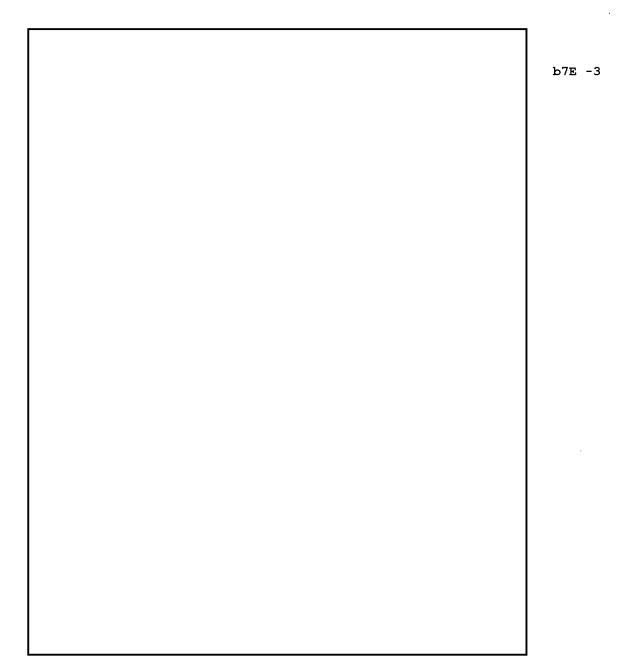


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Winonester, CA 12502-4843	
October 7, 2011	
Nada Prone:	b6 -2
Re: Nada Prouty Manuscript	
Dear Ms. Prouty	
This letter is in response to the submission of your manuscript received for review on May 2, 2011, pursuant to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Prepublication Review Policy (PRP) and the Prepublication Review Manual (POL05-0001-RMD).	
This fetter addresses your e-mail dated August 2, 2011. In response to your letter, the FBI conducted a second classification review which was completed on August 31, 2011.	
Items of concern discovered during our second classification review:	
1. On Page 110, line 18, please remove the mention of	b7D -1
2. On Page 175, lines 5 and 6, please remove the sentence beginning with the word "I" and ending with the word "Michigan."	
Items of concern regarding your e-mail of August 2, 2011;	
1. On page 145, lines 1-5, this edit you mention does not correspond with our concern for this page. Please see our letter to you dated June 22, 2011 for the exact text we ask that you revise.	
2. On page 147, lines 18-19, your alternate text for this suggested change is approved.	
3. On page 148, lines 3-10, your alternate text for this suggested change is approved.	
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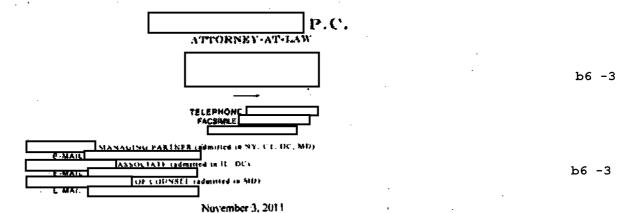
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In addition is your manascript contains classified information, prease product of the with all copies of the manuscript currently in your possession, is housing classified information is prohibited. Also, please delete all classified portions from any and all personal computers which may contain the manuscript.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact in the prepublication office at 540-863-1697 or via e-mail at Thank you for your participation in the FBI's prepublication review process.

Sincerely,

David M. Hardy Section Chief Record/Information Dissemination Section



VIA E-MAIL

David M. Hardy
Section Chief
Record/Information Dissemination Section
Records Management Division
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Winchester, Virginia 22602-4843

Re: Nada Prouty Manuscript

Dear Mr. Hardy:

My client Nada Prouty has forwarded me your letter dated October 7, 2011, pertaining to the pre-publication review of her book Uncompromised: The Rise, Fall, and Redemption of an Arab American Patriot in the CIA (Palgrave Macmillan, 2011).

First, although your office had been informed she had relocated overseas, your tast letter was sent to Ms. Prouty at her old address thereby significantly delaying its delivery. By the time it was received the publisher had already printed the book and it has no doubt already been shipped to retailers across the country in time for its scheduled publication date of November 8, 2011. Therefore, regrettably, Ms. Prouty is unable to accommodate your last minute revisions. Nevertheless, Ms. Prouty is submitting to you under separate cover a substantive response to the requested revisions.

Second, having reviewed the correspondence sent to Ms. Prouty from your office I note that the FBI conducted a re-review of already cleared and approved text. Such re-review is neither legally permitted nor appropriate, and the earlier approval was relied upon in good faith in submitting the manuscript to the publisher.

Phird, it is very clear from the revisions provided to Ms. Prouty in the various letters that the PBI was inappropriately demanding the deletion or modification of text that is unclassified. As the FBI should well know it is only permitted to censor information that is properly classified.

Nothing within the SF-312 or SF-4414 that were executed by Ms. Prouty grants the FBI authority to require redaction of unclassified information, even if it might be privacy protected. Nor can the FBI promulgate any internal regulations, which I note have not been provided to Ms. Prouty, to the contrary. "The government has no legitimate interest in consoring unclassified materials," and, thus, "may not censor such material, contractually or otherwise." McGehee v. Casey, 718 F.2d 1137, 1141 (D.C. Cir. 1983).

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- cc: Nada Prouty

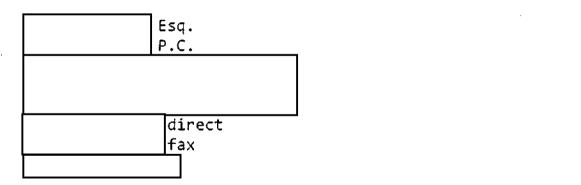
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